

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: AT&T Intellectual Property II, L.P.

Application No./Patent No.: 09/910,987 Filed/Issue Date: July 23, 2001

Titled: "System for Automated Connection to Virtual Private Networks"

AT&T Intellectual Property II, L.P., a Nevada limited partnership

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/Daniel J. Glitto/

June 4, 2009

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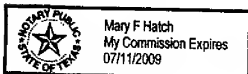
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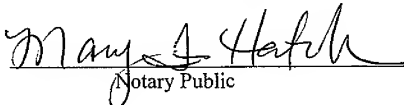


David J. Cho  
Assistant Secretary

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Before me personally appeared the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and s/he acknowledged to me that s/he executed the same for the purposes therein stated, this 3rd day of June, 2009.



  
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## ATTACHMENT A

Attorney Docket No.	Title	U.S. Serial No.	Inventor(s)
2000-0183	System for Automated Connection to Virtual Networks	09/910,987	Chen et al.
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2003-0177	Enhanced-Software Defined Data Network	11/260,984	John Duffy
2003-0318	Server-Paid Internet Access Service	11/214,072	Henry et al.
2004-0033	Telephony Based Broadband Power	11/497,917	Joseph DeSimone
2005-0085CON	Method for Controlling Memory Consumption in Router-Based Virtual Private Networks	12/414,521	Eric Rosenberg

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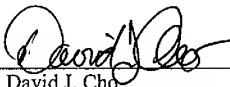
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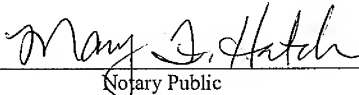


David J. Cho

Vice President and Assistant Secretary

STATE OF Texas )  
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Before me personally appeared the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and s/he acknowledged to me that s/he executed the same for the purposes therein stated, this 3rd day of June, 2009.

  
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